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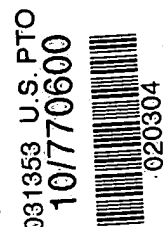
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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(FOR NEW NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATIONS UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(B))

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed a patent application and papers as follows for:

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Title of the Invention: SYSTEM FOR EXPRESSION OF GENES IN PLANTS

A) APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

- 1) ☒ **Fee Transmittal Form** (original and duplicate submitted for fee processing)
- 2) ☐ **Applicant Claims Small Entity Status** (see 37 CFR 1.27)
- 3) ☒ **Specification (including claims)**

TOTAL PAGES: 45

8 pages of Appendix A;
4 pages of Appendix B;
5 pages of Appendix C;
2 pages of Appendix D;
3 pages of Appendix E;
5 pages of Appendix F;

The PTO did not receive the following
listed item(s) Fee Transmittal
and Assignment Papers

4) X **Drawing(s)** (35 U.S.C. § 113)

a) X Drawings

TOTAL SHEETS: **15**

TOTAL PAGES **60**

5) **Oath or Declaration**

a) Newly Executed (original or copy)

b) Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))-for
continuation/divisional application (copy of the original oath,
supplemental oath and a petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b) provided)

i) **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**: Signed Statement deleting inventor(s) named
in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

c) Unexecuted

6) **Application Data Sheet**. See 37 CFR 1.76.

7) **CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program
(Appendix)**

8) **Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission** (if applicable, all are
necessary)

a) Computer Readable Form (CRF)

b) Specification Sequence Listing on:

i) CD-ROM or CR-R (2 copies); or

ii) Paper

c) Statements verifying identity of above copies

B) ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS:

9) X **Assignment Papers** (cover sheet & document(s))

10) **37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement** (when there is an assignee)

11) X **Power of Attorney**

- 12) ☐ **English Translation Document** (if applicable)
13) ☐ **Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449**

14) ☐ **Copies of IDS Citations**

15) ☐ **Preliminary Amendment**

16) ☒ **Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)** (specifically itemized)

17) ☐ **Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)** (if foreign priority is claimed)

18) ☐ **OTHER:** (if applicable, specified below)

C) FOR CONTINUING APPLICATIONS: (the appropriate box is checked, and certain information is provided below and in a preliminary amendment)

☐ CONTINUATION ☐ DIVISIONAL ☐ CONTINUATION-IN-PART (CIP)

OF PRIOR APPLICATION NO:

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EXAMINER:

GROUP/ART UNIT:

FOR CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPLICATIONS ONLY: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied as detailed above, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference.

D) METHOD OF PAYMENT OF FILING FEES FOR THIS APPLICATION:

- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status 37 CFR 1.27
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$1,000.00 is enclosed to cover the filing fee or a portion thereof
- ☒ The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge additional filing fees or credit any overpayment to deposit account number 03-1721.

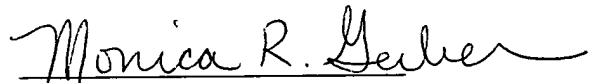
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